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- ☒ Transmittal (1 pg)(in duplicate); Fourth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (2 pgs); Form 1449 (1 pg); Copy of European Office Action for Application No. 03 028 627.2 – 2212, dated February 26, 2007; Copy of European Patent Application EP 0 978 839 A1; and
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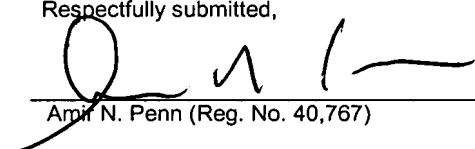
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In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and §§1.97-1.98, and more particularly in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c), Applicants hereby cite the following reference(s):

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

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US 2002/0120847	08/29/2002	Kamperman		

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By submitting this Statement, Applicants are attempting to fully comply with the duty of candor and good faith mandated by 37 C.F.R. §1.56. As such, this Statement is not intended to constitute an admission that any of the enclosed references, or other information referred to therein, constitutes "prior art" or is otherwise "material to patentability," as that phrase is defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.56(a).


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